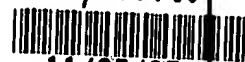


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2. USP 4,266,243 issued 05/1981 to Shutterly;
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